

**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

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8384

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Title: PORTABLE PACKAGING DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FORMING INDIVIDUALLY
PACKAGED ARTICLES

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- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee – required for all utility and plant applications
filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

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- B. The issue fee of \$_____
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3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

- ☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$__ for a large entity disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. Statement. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and(D))].

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CUSTOMER NO.: 27752Enclosures: ☐ Fee Payment☒ Reply & Transmittal Form, Marked-up copy of specification, Clean Copy of Specification, 5 Sheets of Formal Drawings☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form☐ Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay☒ Petition for Extension of Time**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION [37 CFR 1.8(a)]**

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